

GRADE 1

Vanke Primary School
Pudong

September 23-27, 2019
Book Week

What We Did This Week

English

- Book week was great fun! Students got to dress up as their favorite book character and join a school costume parade!
- We bought books at the book fair and even brought our own books and swapped them for new books.
- Students decorated bookmarks to use in all their new books!
- For homework students created beautiful posters to celebrate book week.
- Reading is my secret power! Students designed their own superhero and used their creativity to think of special superpowers. What's your superpower? Is it super-speedy reading?
- Grade 1 students wrote their own comic strip and recounted stories read to them in class.
- Middle School students read the "Lion King" and "The Gruffalo" to all the Grade 1 students. What a fun story time!

What We'll Do Next Week

English

- Next week we are going to start the next unit about Plants.
- Students will learn describing words and use them to talk about their holiday.
- We will learn about Capital I and "sh" phonic sounds.

Humanities

- The children will learn about the Ancient Egyptians and slavery.

Science

- The children will be learning about light and dark.

**House Games on Monday,
September 30th!**

**Holiday from October 1st-7th.
See you on Tuesday, October 8th.
Have a nice holiday!**

Reminders to Parents

1. Please be sure your children arrive at school by 7:50AM each morning. This will enable them to be properly prepared for their first Guided Reading lesson of each day.
2. Students should wear appropriate school uniform attire every day of the school week.
3. On Monday students will dress up in National Chinese attire and also bring their house color t-shirts to change into for the house games on Monday afternoon.
4. Any questions, please contact your homeroom teacher. Have a great weekend!